Introduced by Assembly Member Parra

February 21, 2003

An act to repeal Section 1108 of the Food and Agricultural Code, relating to environmental protection.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1317, as introduced, Parra. Environmental protection.

Existing law creates the Agricultural Biomass-to-Energy Incentive Grant Program, which permits air districts, as defined, to apply to the Technology, Trade, and Commerce Agency to receive grants to provide incentives to facilities that convert qualified agricultural biomass, as defined, to fuel. Existing law requires the agency to establish a multiagency review panel to assist in the grant eligibility determinations, and requires that panel to provide a report to the Legislature by January 1, 2003. Existing law repeals this program on January 1, 2004.

This bill would delete that repeal date and thereby extend the program indefinitely.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 1108 of the Food and Agricultural Code 2 is repealed.

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- 1 1108. This part shall remain in effect only until January 1, 2004, and as of that date is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that is enacted before January 1, 2004, deletes or extends that date.